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NPIC/CSD-1-66
3 January 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant for Plans and Development, NPIC

SUBJECT : Request for Copy Camera Study

REFERENCES : 1) P & DS Draft Paper Dated 9 November 1965

2) NPIC/CSD-167-65, 1 April 1965

1. After a careful review of your draft paper (9 November 1965) proposing a unique copy camera for reducing photographic material to 3" x 5" prints, it has been determined that no requirement exists in CSD for the device described. CSD is in possession of a [redacted] Industrial Camera which reduces varying sizes of photographic materials to standard polaroid film sizes and it is considered adequate for the purposes outlined in your paper at least for the foreseeable future. 25X1

2. However, as outlined in Reference 2, the Collateral Support Division is in need of a copy camera that will enable Division personnel to copy material from publications for use within the Division as well as to provide more efficient support to NPIC components.

3. The requirements for such study should include:

a. CAMERA - To be as fool-proof as possible, yet permit quick result, good quality contact prints or enlargements. It should have auto-focus and auto-exposure control characteristics with the capability of producing film or paper reproductions in the 70 MM, 100 MM or 120 MM sizes. It should have dry or immediate film developing such as polaroid and also an attachment to permit wet developing capability.

b. STAND - To include: camera attachment mountings, subject platform or easel, attachments for light source, and be light in weight and easily transportable.

c. COPIER - Consideration should be given to a copier to permit quick reproductions from the original.

NGA Review Complete

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4. The Division has a need for at least two cameras of this type. If the above listed requirements cannot be found in on-the-shelf copy camera equipment, it is requested that P&DS investigate the possibility of having one developed if it is found to be within practical limits.

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Chief, Collateral Support Division,
NPIC

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I don't recall seeing this before, but date would indicate we should have gotten it some time ago - Did we? Need a response — by 28 Jan if not already taken care of by

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